# **Holy Covenant of Marriage**

## **Husband's Promises**

- Love you unconditionally, as God loves us, with patience, kindness, and humility (1 Corinthians 13:4-7).
- Seek God daily for our family, trusting Him to lead us and guide my steps (Joshua 24:15).
- **Guard my heart, my eyes, and my thoughts**, keeping my devotion to you alone and honoring our covenant (Job 31:1).
- **Speak words of life and truth**, encouraging and strengthening you as God strengthens me (Proverbs 18:21).
- Forgive completely and without hesitation, as Christ has forgiven me (Colossians 3:13).
- Pray for you and with you, that together we may walk in God's will and purpose for our lives.

#### 1. Matthew 19:6

"So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate."

# 2. Ephesians 5:25-28

"Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless. In this same way, husbands ought to love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself."

### 3. 1 Corinthians 13:4-7

"Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres."

## 4. Joshua 24:15

"But if serving the Lord seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served beyond the Euphrates, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

## 5. **Job 31:1**

"I made a covenant with my eyes not to look lustfully at a young woman."

## 6. **Proverbs 18:21**

"The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit."

## 7. **Colossians 3:13**

"Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you."

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#### Wife's Promises

- Love you unconditionally, with grace, compassion, and a heart full of faithfulness (1 Corinthians 13:4-7).
- **Support and encourage you**, walking beside you in all that God calls us to do (Ecclesiastes 4:9-12).
- **Guard my heart, my words, and my actions**, keeping my devotion to you alone and honoring our covenant (Proverbs 31:12).
- **Speak words of wisdom and kindness**, uplifting you and reflecting God's love (Proverbs 31:26).
- Forgive fully and without resentment, as God forgives me (Matthew 6:14).
- Pray for you and with you, that our marriage will reflect His glory and draw us closer to Him.

#### 1. Genesis 2:24

"That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh."

# 2. Ephesians 5:22-24

"Wives, submit yourselves to your own husbands as you do to the Lord. For the husband is the head of the wife as Christ is the head of the church, his body, of which he is the Savior. Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit to their husbands in everything."

## 3. **Ecclesiastes 4:9-12**

"Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor: If either of them falls down, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up. Also, if two lie down together, they will keep warm. But how can one keep warm alone? Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves. A cord of three strands is not quickly broken."

# 4. **Proverbs 31:12**

"She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life."

# 5. Proverbs 31:26

"She speaks with wisdom, and faithful instruction is on her tongue."

#### 6. Matthew 6:14

"For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you."

# **Together**

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